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MEMORANDUM FOR: Project Security Officer

THROUGH : Project Director of Administration

SUBJECT : AQUATONE Clearances for Members of
the Ad Hoc Requirements Committee

REFERENCE : SAPC-24211, 26 February 1958

1. The persons listed in paragraph 4 of referenced memorandum were in attendance at the Ad Hoc Requirements Committee meeting on 11 February for the special purpose of geodetic accuracy and paragraph 6 of the Minute (ARC-M-75, TCS-2760-58), neither of which dealt with operational information. At the conclusion of these items, those listed in your memorandum were excused including Colonel Eldridge on whom an AQUATONE clearance has been requested.

2. In response to your paragraph 3, I will be glad to accommodate your request. This will take some time in view of the fact that we will have to catalog the people who are listed as present in the course of 75 Ad Hoc Requirements Committee meetings, minutes of which including lists of those present are, of course, distributed to you.

3. With regard to your request for information on those who may be expected in the future to participate in Ad Hoc Requirements Committee meetings, let me say that I have forwarded to you recently a request from the Air Force and the Army which are pointed in that direction, each listing 5-8 people.

4. Let me say that it has been a long standing procedure, one recently reinforced by a reminder stated in ARC-M-72 (TCS-2574-58, 13 January 1958), that each Committee member is responsible for reporting to the Chairman when he arrives at the meeting if he brings anyone for a special purpose who is not in possession of a TALENT, SI, AQUATONE, or SENSINT clearance. To my knowledge, they have faithfully followed this request, and our practice has been to excuse those not properly cleared for all matters when their business has been completed.

JQR:cw

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